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U.S. DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

Jun 08, 2023

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

NATIONAL SHOOTING SPORTS
FOUNDATION, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

ROBERT W. FERGUSON, Attorney
General of the State of Washington,

Defendant.

ALLIANCE FOR GUN
RESPONSIBILITY,

Defendant-Intervenor.

No. 2:23-CV-00113-MKD

ORDER GRANTING UNOPPOSED
MOTIONS FOR LEAVE TO FILE
AMICI CURAE BRIEF

ECF Nos. 45, 47

Before the Court is Legal Scholars' Unopposed Motion for Leave to File Amici Curiae Brief, ECF No. 45, and the Everytown for Gun Safety Support Fund, Brady Center to Prevent Gun Violence, and Giffords Law Center to Prevent Gun Violence's Unopposed Motion for Leave to File Amicus Curiae Brief, ECF No. 47. The proposed amici represent that their motions are unopposed.

1 “The privilege of being heard amicus rests in the discretion of the court
2 which may grant or refuse leave according as it deems the proffered information
3 timely, useful, or otherwise.” *Community Ass’n for Restoration of the Env’t v.*
4 *Deruttyer Bros. Dairy*, 54 F. Supp. 2d 974, 975 (E.D. Wash. 1999) (citing *Hoptowit*
5 *v. Ray*, 683 F.2d 1237, 1260 (9th Cir. 1982)). The Court has considered the record
6 and the motion and finds that the proposed amici are subject-matter experts and
7 their submissions on the record would aid the Court in reaching a just and correct
8 decision in this case. Their entry is unopposed and the Court shall grant the
9 request to file briefs.

10 Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

11 1. The Legal Scholars’ Unopposed Motion for Leave to File
12 Amici Curiae Brief, **ECF No. 45**, is **GRANTED**.

13 2. The Everytown for Gun Safety Support Fund, Brady Center to
14 Prevent Gun Violence, and Giffords Law Center to Prevent Gun Violence’s
15 Unopposed Motion for Leave to File Amicus Curiae Brief, **ECF No. 47**, is
16 **GRANTED**.

17 3. The proposed amici shall file their proposed briefs on the record
18 **on or before June 13, 2023**.

19 **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The District Court Executive is directed to file this
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1 order and provide copies to the parties.

2 DATED June 8, 2023.

3 s/Mary K. Dimke
4 MARY K. DIMKE
5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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